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Annual Report
THORNTON
New Hampshire



1918-19

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Thornton

FOR THE

Year Ending January 31, 1919

1919
Record Print, Plymouth

INVENTORY

Real and Personal Property April 1, 1918.

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| Improved and unimproved lands and buildings | \$257,274 00 |
| 205 horses | 34,030 00 |
| 6 mules | 425 00 |
| 20 oxen | 2,875 00 |
| 231 cows | 17,555 00 |
| 66 neat stock | 3,765 00 |
| 107 sheep | 1,840 00 |
| 39 hogs | 1,295 00 |
| 29 automobiles | 11,200 00 |
| Mills and machinery | 12,350 00 |
| Wood and lumber | 54,394 00 |
| Money on hand, at interest or on deposit | 270 00 |
| Stock in trade | 19,125 00 |
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| | \$416,398 00 |
| Amount of taxes assessed, including poll tax | \$11,349 42 |
| Amount exempt to soldiers | \$3,000 00 |

SELECTMEN'S ACCOUNT.

Receipts

Received from state as follows:

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| Maintenance money, trunk line | \$1,882 34 |
| “ “ state aid | 19 25 |
| Permanent improvement, state aid money | 129 71 |
| Bounty money for 1917 | 50 60 |
| Railroad tax | 368 47 |
| Savings bank tax | 326 22 |
| Literary fund | 68 90 |
| Proportion of school fund | 364 90 |
| National forest reserve fund | 65 47 |
| Bounty money for 1918 | 77 40 |
| A. C. Moulton, cemetery lots | 30 00 |
| F. A. Barnard, on note | 3,500 00 |
| F. A. Barnard, overdrawn on road account | 6 75 |
| A. J. Tuck, overpaid on bill | 1 12 |
| From the county, A. Olsen bill | 8 32 |
| Silsby Bros., work at their crossing | 186 50 |
| Freight rebate | 3 40 |
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| | \$7,089 35 |
| Paid cash to town treasurer | \$7,089 35 |

Expenditures.

Town Officers' Bills.

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|---|----------|
| Frank A. Barnard, selectman | \$117 25 |
| Leland E. Holmes, “ | 49 39 |
| Fred W. Connor “ | 44 50 |
| W. B. Emmons, town and school dist. treasurer | 100 00 |

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| Wm. Lyford, moderator 1918 | 10 00 |
| C. V. Ham, oyerseer of poor and ballot clerk | 21 00 |
| Amy L. Barnard, librarian | 52 00 |
| O. M. Jones, collector for 1917 | 100 00 |
| F. L. Hazeltine, auditor, supervisor, and money paid out | 20 50 |
| A. C. Moulton, superintendent of cemeteries | 45 00 |
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| | \$559 64 |

Miscellaneous.

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| P. H. Crawford, G. A. R. 1917 | \$ 15 00 |
| E. H. Chase, printing report | 30 00 |
| W. J. Randolph, real estate transfers | 2 36 |
| E. C. Eastman Co., supplies for town | 3 59 |
| Ezra Downing, housing road machine | 3 00 |
| O. M. Jones, resident land sale, 1917 | 303 35 |
| E. H. Hallett, county tax | 459 42 |
| Burleigh & Adams, counsel for selectmen and school board | 25 00 |
| B. F. Merrill, use of water trough | 3 00 |
| C. V. Ham, use of water trough | 3 00 |
| R. D. Steele, use of water trough | 3 00 |
| Frank Haynes, sheep damage by dogs | 20 00 |
| W. B. Avery, dynamite | 11 00 |
| J. A. Tuck, spikes | 3 93 |
| F. A. Barnard, money paid doing town business | 6 00 |
| P. H. Crawford, G. A. R. 1918 | 15 00 |
| J. W. Plummer, state tax | 552 00 |
| H. A. Cheney, vaccinating school children | 8 00 |
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| | \$1,466 71 |

A. C. Benton, Road Agent

Receipts

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|---|----------|
| Received of Selectmen, order on treasurer | \$818 95 |
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Expenditures

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|-----------------|----------|
| A. C. Benton | \$326 25 |
| W. S. Elliott | 22 50 |
| H. A. Broad | 82 00 |
| Truman Heath | 15 00 |
| J. B. Richards | 17 40 |
| Frank Haynes | 1 50 |
| W. J. Horner | 49 00 |
| Raymond Caldon | 15 91 |
| T. A. Heath | 3 00 |
| David McLeod | 34 50 |
| Geo. Hussey | 3 00 |
| W. S. Elliott | 16 50 |
| James Hussey | 1 50 |
| A. C. Moulton | 14 00 |
| W. S. Merrill | 10 50 |
| J. W. Wallace | 1 25 |
| W. S. Elliott | 18 00 |
| Ernest Haynes | 12 00 |
| A. C. Robertson | 16 50 |
| Clarence Hart | 18 00 |
| Albert Petrain | 9 76 |
| A. C. Benton | 3 54 |
| N. W. Brown | 3 00 |

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| | \$694 60 |
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| In agent's hands | 124 35 |
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| | \$818 95 |
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Other Highway and Bridge Bills.

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| B. F. Merrill | \$ 61 90 |
| N. W. Brown | 15 00 |
| C. Hart | 11 20 |
| L. E. Holmes | 2 80 |
| L. W. Bradley | 19 00 |
| Bert Avery | 38 06 |
| Guy Downing | 18 00 |
| Parker & Young, 1996 ft. plank at \$30 per M. | 59 88 |
| H. A. Broad | 50 60 |
| N. W. Brown | 10 50 |
| W. D. Veazey, 1180 ft. plank at \$39 per M. | 46 10 |
| Parker & Young Co., 2676 ft. plank at \$35 | 93 66 |
| E. A. Lynde, 1687 ft. plank at \$35 | 59 04 |
| Parker & Young Co., 1920 ft. plank at \$35 | 67 20 |
| E. C. Burleigh | 98 00 |
| A. C. Moulton | 46 00 |
| H. A. Broad | 96 50 |
| F. L. Houston | 10 50 |
| George E. Weston | 5 40 |
| B. F. Merrill | 32 90 |
| A. C. Moulton, lumber | 30 64 |
| Diamond Match Co., 2000 ft. plank at \$35 | 70 00 |
| L. E. Holmes | 24 30 |
| F. A. Corliss | 5 40 |
| N. W. Brown | 6 00 |
| F. A. Corliss | 1 50 |
| Clarence Hart | 6 50 |
| Albert Petrain | 8 00 |
| L. E. Holmes | 4 00 |
| Clarence Hart | 50 45 |
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| | \$1,078 78 |

Educational Department.

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| E. E. Babb & Co., | supplies | \$ 12 65 |
| " | " | 26 43 |
| " | " | 28 39 |
| R. E. Lane | " | 3 22 |
| American Book Co., | " | 22 72 |
| E. E. Babb & Co., | " | 12 50 |
| " | " | 10 76 |
| American Book Co., | " | 62 15 |
| Charles L. Wallace, | tuition | 165 00 |
| G. L. Plimpton | " | 18 00 |
| J. H. Fadden | " | 96 90 |
| " | " | 80 00 |
| Charles L. Wallace | " | 220 00 |
| F. A. Barnard, | library money | 45 00 |
| Ayer Insurance Agency | | 3 30 |
| W. B. Emmons, | schoool treasurer | 2,940 32 |
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| | | \$3,747 34 |

Poor Department.

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|----------------|------------------------------------|---------|
| C. V. Ham, | for Garron family | \$ 5 36 |
| " | " A. Olsen | 2 96 |
| G. F. Downing, | care and board of A. Olsen | 20 00 |
| C. V. Ham, | for A. Olsen | 2 96 |
| Geo. Adams, | expenses taking Alex Kentueskie | |
| | to Plymouth hospital and money for | |
| | his keep there | 9 20 |
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| | | \$40 48 |

Bounty Statement.

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| Paid bounty on 137 hedgehogs | \$27 40 |
| Paid bounty on 10 bears | 50 00 |
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| | \$77 40 |
| Received of the state | 77 40 |

Cemetery Report.

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| Paid for care of cemetery | \$45 00 |
| Received from lots sold | 30 00 |

Paid on Notes.

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| Pemigewasset National Bank | \$5,052 50 |
| Pemigewasset National Bank, interest | 390 85 |
| W. P. VanHousen | 700 00 |
| F. A. Barnard | 912 00 |
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| | \$7,055 35 |

Due on Notes.

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|----------------------------|-------------|
| Pemigewasset National Bank | \$5,000 00 |
| Edna Willey Smith | 22 66 |
| Annie Willey Sawyer | 22 66 |
| Luella Houston | 289 16 |
| W. P. VanHousen | 1,387 00 |
| J. H. Steele | 2,336 30 |
| F. A. Barnard | 2,691 50 |
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| | \$11,749 28 |

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Assets.

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|---|------------|
| Cash in treasury Jan. 31, 1919 | \$1,956 65 |
| In hands of O. M. Jones, collector for 1916 | 173 54 |
| In hands of J. H. Gilman, collector for 1918 | 6,421 27 |
| Land bought by town for taxes 1917 | 303 35 |
| Land bought by town for taxes 1918 (non-resident) | 28 59 |
| Total assets | \$8,883 40 |

Liabilities.

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|---|-------------|
| Due on notes | \$11,749 28 |
| Balance state aid maintenance in treasury | 88 27 |
| Total liabilities | \$11,837 55 |
| Liabilities above assets | \$2,954 15 |
| Decrease of debt during year | \$2,302 78 |
| Statement of Taylor fund in Thornton | \$1,045 25 |
| Statement of school fund in Thornton | \$1,312 50 |

We have dropped out of this report \$1,695.77 that was reported last year as assets. This is for land bought by the town for taxes. We will make a further report of this matter town meeting day.

FRANK A. BARNARD,
LELAND E. HOLMES,
FRED W. CONNOR,
Selectmen of Thornton.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

1919

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| Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1918 | \$2,441 36 |
| Cash received of selectmen | 7,089 35 |
| Cash rec'd of O. M. Jones, collector 1915 | 70 00 |
| Cash rec' of O. M. Jones, collector 1917 | 5,111 65 |
| Cash rec'd of F. W. Steele, refund money 1912 | 66 91 |
| Cash rec'd of F. W. Steele, refund money 1913 | 77 16 |
| Cash rec'd of F. W. Steele, refund money | 30 51 |
| Cash received of Joseph Gilman | 4,928 15 |
| Cash received of town clerk, dog money | 81 00 |
| Cash received of school board, old books | 1 67 |
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| | \$19,897 76 |
| Paid on orders | 17,941 11 |
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| Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1919 | \$1,956 65 |

Patrolman H. R. Downing Account

Receipts.

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|---|------------|
| Received of selectmen, order on treasurer | \$2,730 90 |
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Expenditures.

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| H. R. Downing | \$1,013 00 |
| Wm. Lyford | 238 50 |
| John Steele | 267 36 |
| G. B. Currier | 151 25 |
| Chester Avery | 234 86 |
| G. F. Downing | 195 25 |
| L. N. Brown | 189 75 |
| C. F. Barnard | 20 62 |
| H. M. Adams | 43 75 |
| Clifford Fifield | 15 13 |
| Ora Downing | 13 75 |
| Geo. Adams | 2 75 |
| A. T. Olsen | 36 25 |
| C. V. Ham | 16 50 |
| R. M. Tobyne | 37 12 |
| E. C. Burleigh | 2 75 |
| Alfred Dole | 52 50 |
| R. J. Elliott | 49 50 |
| Silsby Bros., railing plank | 20 96 |
| Frank Smith, 4 bags cement 3.40, 1 scythe 1.25 | 4 65 |
| H. Little Grain Co., 1200 lbs. phosphate | 22 35 |
| W. D. Veazey, 132 ft. drag plank at .50 | 6 60 |
| B. P. Downing, 18 loads gravel at .10 | 1 80 |
| E. C. Burleigh, 8 loads gravel at .10 | .80 |
| Wm. Lyford, 55 fence posts at .30 | 16 50 |

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| C. R. Chase 206 loads of gravel and clay at .10 | 20 60 |
| John Irving, 545 loads of gravel at .10 | 54 50 |
| Walter Martin, 36 loads of gravel at .10 | 3 60 |
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| | \$2,732 95 |
| | 2,730 90 |
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| Due H. R. Downing | \$2 05 |

State Road Construction, by W. S. Merrill.

Receipts.

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|---|----------|
| Received of selectmen, order on treasurer | \$353 64 |
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Expenditures.

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| W. S. Merrill | \$72 00 |
| Lawrence Shores | 66 00 |
| Geo. E. Weston | 54 00 |
| Albert Avery | 24 56 |
| Geo. Sawyer | 26 00 |
| Joseph Rollins | 16 25 |
| Ray Sawyer | 32 50 |
| Joseph Rollins | 13 00 |
| C. H. Muzzey | 6 50 |
| W. J. Horner | 36 08 |
| Cash to balance | 6 75 |
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| | \$353 64 |

State Aid Maintenance.

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| Charles Muzzey | \$ 9 00 |
| W. J. Horner | 7 00 |
| A. C. Benton | 17 00 |
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| | \$33 00 |

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Thornton, N. H., Jan. 31, 1919.

Having examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, and Road Agents for the town of Thornton, for the year ending Jan. 31, 1919, I find them correctly cast and properly vouched, except I find A. C. Benton has overdrawn on Road Account the sum of \$124.35, which is now in his hands.

FRANK L. HOUSTON, Auditor.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

Receipts.

| | |
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| Cash in bank Jan. 31, 1918 | \$49 88 |
| Received from town | 45 00 |
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| | \$94 88 |

No new books bought the past year
608 books were taken out during the year

FRANK A. BARNARD,
For the Trustees.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Thornton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1918

| Date - 1918 | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Residence of each at time of Marriage | Age in years | Color of each | Occupation of Groom and Bride | Place of Birth of each | Name of Parents | Birthplace of Parents | Occupation of Parents | Times married | Name, residence and official station of person by whom married |
|-------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------|--|
| May 29 | Campton | Ferdina Hamel | Thornton | 43 | W | Mill man | St Patrick P Q | Antony Hamel | St Patrick P Q | Farmer | 1 | Rev A W Young Campton |
| | | Laura Sampson | Thornton | 38 | " | Weaver | Levey P Q | Caroline Siloe | St Elzear P Q | Housewife | 1 | |
| June 2 | Plymouth | Harry Adams | Thornton | 33 | " | Laborer | Woodsville | Geo Sampson | St Etienne P Q | Teamster | 1 | |
| | | Alvira Avery | W Campton | 20 | " | House girl | W Campton | Delpha Marceau | St Joseph P Q | Housewife | 1 | Rev J R Conrad Plymouth |
| June 26 | Campton | William Sweeney | Thornton | 39 | " | Teamster | Portland Me | Melvin Avery | Thornton | Housewife | 1 | Rev A W Young Campton |
| | | Bernice Jones | Thornton | 18 | " | Housework | Thornton | John Sweeney | Ireland | Housewife | 1 | |
| July 29 | Thornton | Ora Downing | Thornton | 20 | " | Laborer | Woodstock | Oscar Jones | Nova Scotia | Farmer | 1 | Rev A W Young Campton |
| | | Abbie Fortune | Wells River Vt | 17 | " | Housework | York state | Cora Thompson | Woodstock | Housework | 1 | |
| Sept 2 | Warren | Herbert Downing | Thornton | 34 | " | Farmer | Thornton | Ernest Downing | Bethlehem | Mill man | 2 | W B Russell J P Warren |
| | | Electra Hildreth | Thornton | 33 | " | Housework | Warren | Clara Peaslee | Ellsworth | Housewife | 2 | |
| | | | | | | | | Henry Fortune | Ellsworth | Painter | | |
| | | | | | | | | — Page | Warren | Farmer | | |
| | | | | | | | | Cereno Downing | Concord | Housewife | | |
| | | | | | | | | Laura Foster | Concord | Farmer | | |
| | | | | | | | | Geo Boynton | Concord | Housework | | |
| | | | | | | | | May Wolcott | Concord | Housework | | |

Deaths Registered in the Town of Thornton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1918

| Date—1918 | Name and Sur- name of deceased | Age | | | Place of Birth | Sex and Conditions | | | Occupation | Place of Birth | | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother | Cause of Death |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|-------|--------|------|----------------|-----------------------|-------|---------------------------|------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| | | Years | Months | Days | | Male or Female | Color | Single, mar or widowed | | Father | Mother | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jan 7 | Mary Avery | 75 | 8 | 7 | Campton | F | W | M | Housewife | Dover | Lunenburg Vt | Bartlett Rowe | Eliza Steel | Pneumonia |
| " 7 | Meritt Tyrell | 67 | 11 | 26 | " | M | " | W | Farming | | | Reuben Ham | Eliza Enos | Cer'l hemorrhage |
| " 10 | Susan Ham | 62 | " | " | Keene | F | " | S | Housework | Walter Sawyer | Sarah Fiffeld | Cer'l hemorrhage | | |
| May 29 | Edith Waters | 45 | 9 | 17 | Woodstock | " | " | M | Housewife | Chas Smith | Mary Chase | Ch myocarditis | | |
| June 17 | Elizabeth N Kendall | 77 | 10 | 19 | Sanbornton | " | " | W | Housewife | Francis Hodgma | Merrill | Hepatic certhosis | | |
| " 25 | Gardner T C Smith | 70 | 3 | 23 | Sanbornton | M | " | M | Farming | Gay F Downing | Lillian Ball | H'mo'lg'e stom'ch | | |
| Sept 2 | Henry Hodgman | 61 | 5 | 22 | Lowell Mass | " | " | " | Lumberman | Wm Merrill | Sara Whitney | Nephritis | | |
| " 4 | Stanley F Downing | " | 1 | 16 | Thornton | " | " | " | " | James Weeks | Sarah Stickney | Enterocolitis | | |
| " 16 | John F Merrill | 53 | 6 | 5 | Thornton | " | " | M | Farmer | Daniel Steele | Sarah Stickney | Enter nephritis | | |
| Oct 4 | Wm H Weeks | 77 | 10 | 2 | Gilmanton | " | " | " | Farmer | Freeman Evans | Sarah Mason | Nephritis | | |
| " 6 | John Steele | 57 | " | 20 | Thornton | " | " | " | Laborer | Chas Mayhew | Sarah Mason | Hard arteries | | |
| Dec 29 | Lucy Knowles | 48 | 10 | 9 | Plymouth | F | " | " | " | Bangor Me | Sarah Mason | Carcinoma ut'rus | | |
| " 30 | Josie B Hussey | 35 | 11 | 10 | Manchester | " | " | " | Housewife | | | | Pul tuberculosis | |

W. B. EMMONS, Town Clerk.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

1918.

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| Cash in treasury Jan. 1, 1918 | .00 |
| Received of selectmen | 2,940 32 |
| Received of school board | 6 12 |
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| | \$3,946 44 |
| Paid on orders | 2,944 20 |
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| Amt. in treasury Jan. 31, 1919 | \$2 24 |

W. B. EMMONS, Treas.

School Expense in Detail.

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| Paid | |
| Bert Avery, transporting pupils to W. Thornton school 7 w. at \$4 per week | \$ 28 00 |
| John Irving, wood for Madriver school | 7 00 |
| H. R. Downing, labor and money paid out in District No. 4 | 5 20 |
| Charles Elliott, transporting pupils to Madriver school and money paid out | 33 50 |
| Mildred Brogan, teaching at Madriver 4 w. at \$10 per week and board | 40 00 |
| Parker, Young & Co., glass | 2 40 |
| Harriet A. Dalton, teaching 26 weeks at \$10 | 260 00 |

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| and janitor work 26 w. at 50c, Thornton Center | 13 00 |
| John Steele, drawing and putting wood in W. Thornton schoolhouse | 3 75 |
| Frank Barnard, and he paid Geo. Sawyer 2 cd. wood delivered to Madriver schoolhouse | 14 00 |
| Emmons Bros., wood | 30 27 |
| R. J. Hussey, drawing wood | 10 00 |
| Charles Elliott, transporting pupils to Madriver school and teacher from railroad station | 22 00 |
| Mildred Brogan, teaching two weeks at \$10 at Madriver and board | 20 00 |
| Bert Avery, transporting pupils to W. Thornton 7 w. at \$4 | 28 00 |
| Lora Merrill, teaching in No. 6 schoolhouse 14 w. at \$6, cleaning schoolhouse, and money paid out and board | 93 35 |
| B. F. Merril, drawing wood to Thornton Center, 2 door sets and repairs | 9 80 |
| Ethel Sanborn, teaching 10 w. at \$10 and board and janitor work 10 w. at 50c at W. Thornton | 105 00 |
| C. M. Biddle, janitor work 24 w. at 50c and kindling wood | 12 25 |
| A. C. Benton, drawing wood to Thornton Center | 3 50 |
| Isa M. Brown, teaching 11 w. at \$4 at Thornton Gore and board | 44 00 |
| Frank Haynes, transporting his pupils to Thornton Center school 9 w. 3 days at \$4 per w. in March 1918 | 38 40 |
| Ella Horner, cleaning Thornton Center schoolhouse | 2 50 |

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| Lora Merrill, teaching in No. 6 and board 2 w. at \$6, and janitor work 2w. at 50c | 13 00 |
| Frank Haynes, 1917 fall term 4 w. at \$4 | 16 00 |
| Cressy Ham, wood delivered to schoolhouse in District No. 4 | 9 00 |
| Luva Downing, janitor work 7 w. at 50c in District No. 4 | 3 50 |
| Edith Merrill, srvicees as school board, balance due 1917 | 5 00 |
| Lillybell Woodward, teaching and board at Madrivier 4 w. at \$10 | 40 00 |
| Harriett A. Dalton, teaching in District No. 4 6 w. at \$9 and board | 54 00 |
| Edith Merrill, money paid W. B. Avery, A. F. Burt & Co., and telephoning | 6 40 |
| Mrs. Geo. Hussey, helping clean schoolhouse in District No. 4 | 1 50 |
| Mrs. Lizzie Ham, helping clean schoolhouse and toilet in District No. 4 | 3 00 |
| M. B. Goodwin, teaching 2 w. at \$9 in Dis- trict No. 4 | 18 00 |
| Lillybell Woodward, teaching and board at Madrivier 4 w. at \$10 | 40 00 |
| M. B. Goodwin, teaching in District No. 4 4 w. at \$9 | 36 00 |
| Harriett Dalton, teaching at W. Thornton 7 w. at \$11 and board | 77 00 |
| Lora Merrill, teaching and board in District No. 6 6w. at \$6 per w., 1 w. at \$3, janitor work 6 w. at 50 c | 42 00 |
| Mrs. Charlotte Conroy, teaching at Thornton Center 4 w. at \$8.00, including state aid | 32 00 |
| Mrs. Lizzie Ham, stove, room paper, curtains from Sears, Roebuck & Co. | 32 16 |
| Chas. Elliott, transporting pupils to Mad | |

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| River school 11 weeks at \$5.00 | 55 00 |
| Mrs. Isa Brown, teaching at Thornton Gore and board 13 weeks at \$4.00 | 52 00 |
| Luva Downing, janitor work Dist. No. 4 10 weeks at 50c. | 5 00 |
| M. B. Goodwin, teaching Dist. No. 4, 4 weeks at \$9.00 | 36 00 |
| Harriet Dalton, teaching at West Thornton 5 weeks at \$11.00 and board | 55 00 |
| Transportation to Thornton Center 75c., painting black-boards, broom, brush, dipper, soap, \$3.00 | 3 75 |
| Lillybell Woodward, teaching at Mad River 3 weeks at \$10.00 and board | 30 00 |
| Janitor work 11 weeks and blacking stove 25c. | 6 00 |
| Mary Merrill, janitor work 12 weeks at 50c. | 6 00 |
| • Mrs. Charlotte Conroy, teaching at Thornton Center 8 weeks at \$8.00, \$64.00; janitor work 12 weeks at 50c., \$6.00; this includes state aid | 70 00 |
| : Mrs. Lizzie Ham, wall paper from Sears, Roebuck & Co., for Thornton Center school house | 3 78 |
| Mrs. Ella Horner, cleaning school house at Thornton Center | 3 50 |
| Mrs. Emily Benton, boarding teacher 12 weeks at \$4.00 | 48 00 |
| Mrs. Lizzie Ham, balance due on wall paper and curtains, Sears, Roebuck & Co. | 5 37 |
| Trueman Heath, wood and labor | 6 24 |
| Sears, Roebuck & Co., 4 water coolers | 10 20 |
| A. F. Burt Co., paint, oil, schellac | 42 78 |
| Mrs. Dora Brown, broom. soap, 7 yds. crash and chloride lime | 3 12 |
| Alexander Russell, glass | 1 80 |

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| Warren Moulton, painting and other work on West Thornton and Thornton Center school house | 25 50 |
| A. F. Burt Co., plaster, paint, oil, window fasteners and cord | 6 10 |
| Trueman Heath, clock \$5, wood \$3, labor \$9, fence posts \$6, express, going to rail- road station, glass, rope, telephone calls, other money paid out for school supplies, wood | 30 00 |
| Mrs Flora Nelson, services as truant officer | 4 00 |
| Mrs. Edith Merrill, putty, sandpaper, paint brushes bought of W. B. Avery \$1.18, and Mrs. Frank Ham cleaning school- house at W. Thornton \$3.50 and other labor \$2.95 | 7 63 |
| Mrs. Charlotte Conroy, teaching, board and state aid 4 w. at \$14 | 56 00 |
| Mrs. Nettie Tobyne, teaching and board 4 w. at \$9 in District No. 4 | 36 00 |
| Charles Elliott, transporting pupils to Ma- driver school 4 w. at \$6 \$24, going to Campton depot twice \$2, boarding teacher 4 w. at \$5 \$20 | 46 00 |
| Mrs. Cressy Ham, express on water coolers \$2.98, freight on stove \$1.40 | 4 38 |
| Mrs. Nettie Tobyne, teaching and board 3 w. at \$9 in District No. 4 | 27 00 |
| A. D. Merrill, wood delivered to W. Thornton schoolhouse \$18, cleaning and repair- ing toilet \$.50, telephoning \$1.90, glass 15c, boarding teacher 9 w. at \$4.50 40.50 | 62 05 |
| Geo. Hussey, taking wood to Thornton Center | 3 00 |
| Mrs. Adelaide Griffin, teaching at Maddriver | |

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| 8 w. at \$6.50 \$52.00, carfare \$3, carfare instead of board when school was closed on account of influenza \$3, this includes state aid | 58 00 |
| Charles Elliott, transporting pupils to Madriver school 5 w. at \$6 \$30, boarding teacher 4 w. at \$5 \$20, carrying teacher to and from Campton station \$2 | 52 00 |
| Mrs. Nettie Tobyne, janitor work in District No. 4 10 w. at 50c \$5, washing windows 50c, teaching and board 3 w. at \$9 \$27, board one week school was closed on account of influenza \$4 | 36 50 |
| Harry Uhlman, janitor 8 w. at 50c \$4, sawing wood \$1 | 5 00 |
| American Book Co., book and writing books | 5 69 |
| Edward Babb & Co., books and b. b. erasers | 5 35 |
| Mrs. Lizzie Ham, express on paper and pencils | 4 01 |
| Edward E. Babb & Co., paper and pencils | 54 46 |
| Mrs. Charles Conroy, teaching at (state aid) and board, Thornton Center, 6 w. at \$14, janitor work 10 w. at 50c, transportation from railroad station | 89 50 |
| W. D. Veazey, wood for W. Thornton school | 5 25 |
| L. N. Brown, drawing wood from W. D. Veazey's to W. Thornton school \$1.50, and repair work 50c | 2 00 |
| American Book Co. | 2 84 |
| Campton school district, tuition for 12 w. Hazel Mayhew, Grover Mayhew, Evelyn Mayhew, Clarence Avery, Amos Avery | 18 00 |
| Trucman Heath, sawing and delivering wood to Madriver school | 4 00 |
| Cressy Ham, wood delivered District No. 4 | 12 00 |

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| Oscar Durgin, sawing wood and cleaning toilet | 2 00 |
| L. G. Shores, drawing wood to Thornton Center school, blacking stove and washing floor | 2 75 |
| Mrs. Edith Merrill, hiring wood fixed for West Thornton school | 1 00 |
| James Fadden, tuition for 13 w., Kenneth Barnard, Gadys Lake | 39 00 |
| Maud Moulton, teaching 1 w. in District No. 4 | 5 00 |
| Mrs. Lizzie Ham, boarding teacher 1 w. in District No. 4 | 4 00 |
| Isa Brown, teaching and board 12 w. at \$4 at Thornton Gore | 48 00 |
| Gertrude Johnson, teaching 18 w. at \$9 and janitor work 18 w. at 50c per week at W. Thornton, also state aid | 171 00 |
| Mrs. Charlotte Conroy, teaching, board and state aid 9 w. at \$14 at the Center | 126 00 |
| O. L. Durgin, sawing wood | 1 00 |
| Mrs. L. G. Shores, janitor work, glass, cleaning stovepipe | 3 75 |
| Mrs. Edith Merrill, services as school board | 25 00 |
| Mrs. Edith Merrill, transportation for two teachers from railroad station, money paid out, boarding teacher 9 w. at \$4.50 | 43 84 |
| Mrs. Lizzie Ham, services as school board | 25 00 |
| Mrs. Lizzie Ham, padlocks, janitor work, fixing clocks, repairs, kindling wood in District No. 4, express getting stove from railroad station to Center | 21 96 |
| Bert Avery, transporting pupils to W. Thornton school 8 w. at \$4 | 32 00 |
| Trueman Heath, services as school board | 25 00 |
| Total | \$2,938 58 |

AUDITORS' REPORT.

Thornton, N. H., Jan. 31, 1919.

Having examined the accounts of the School Board, I find them correctly cast and properly vouched for the year ending Jan. 31, 1919.

W. P. VAN HOUSEN.

Estimates for the Coming Fiscal Year.

Ending January 31, 1920.

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| 1. Money required by law | \$ 517 50 |
| 2. Money required for textbooks and supplies | 175 00 |
| 3. Money required for high school and academy tuition | 250 00 |
| 4. Money required for flags and appurtenances for same | 5 00 |
| 5. Literary funds | 68 90 |
| 6. Local funds | 78 75 |
| 7. Amount needed for repairs on school-houses | 150 00 |
| 8. Additional amount needed for support of schools | 1,000 00 |

MRS. LIZZIE HAM,
MRS. EDITH MERRILL,
MR. TRUEMAN HEATH.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

We are in hopes there will not be any sickness next year to cause the schools to be closed.

We invite the parents to be more interested in the schools each year.

We receive aid from the state according to the attendance so it is for every parent's interest to keep their children in school every day possible.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

District No. 1.

First term of twelve weeks taught by Mrs. Charlotte Conroy. Roll of perfect attendance: Lawrence Steele, Karl Gray.

Second term of twelve weeks taught by same teacher. Roll of perfect attendance: Lawrence Steele, Karl Gray, Kenneth Gray, Floyd Haynes.

Third term of nine weeks taught by same teacher. Roll of perfect attendance: Lawrence Steele, Karl Gray, Kenneth Gray.

District No. 2.

First term of eleven weeks taught by Lillybell Woodward. Roll of perfect attendance: Josephine Bidle.

Second term of eight weeks taught by Adelaide Griffin. Roll of perfect attendance: Frank E. Broad, Harry Uhlman, Ruby L. Heath, Evelyn Uhlman.

Third term of ten weeks taught by Ester Broad. Roll of perfect attendance: Evelyn Uhlman, Ruby L. Heath.

This school is not closed.

District No. 4.

A term of six weeks taught by Harriet Dalton. Miss Lillybell Woodward was sick and Harriet Dalton finished the term winter 1918. Roll of perfect attendance Hazel Hildreth.

First term of six weeks taught by M. B. Goodwin. Roll of perfect attendance: Spencer W. Ham.

Second term of ten weeks taught by Nettie Tobine. Roll of perfect attendance: Luva Downing, Harland Downing, Chester Downing.

Third term just begun by Harriet Dalton could not begin before on account of sickness. Miss Maud Moulton taught one week.

District No. 5.

First term of twelve weeks taught by Harriet Dalton. Roll of perfect attendance: Spergen Ames, Fred Ames, Eveyne Adams, Beatrice Brown, Malcolm Down-

ing, Kenneth Downing, Mildred Lake, Frank Avery, Henry Avery.

Second term of ten weeks taught by Gertrude Johnson. Roll of perfect attendance: Mary Merrill, Alberta Merrill.

Third term taught by same teacher, eight weeks. Roll of perfect attendance: Malcom Downing.

District No. 6.

One term, seven weeks, taught by Lora Merrill. Roll of perfect attendance, none. There were not any children in this district in the fall. Eight weeks were taught in this district after Feb. 1st, 1918.

District No. 12.

First term of twelve weeks taught by Isa Brown. Roll of perfect attendance: Eva Hart.

Second term of twelve weeks taught by same teacher. Roll of perfect attendance: Fred Fleming. Third term not closed being taught by same teacher.

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